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**TITLE 170 INDIANA UTILITY REGULATORY COMMISSION**

**Notice of Intent to Adopt a Rule**

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Under [IC 4-22-2-23](#), the Indiana Utility Regulatory Commission intends to adopt a rule concerning the following:

**OVERVIEW:** Adds [170 IAC 7-8-1](#) through [170 IAC 7-8-13](#) establishing the Indiana Lifeline Assistance Program. Effective 30 days after filing with the publisher. Questions concerning the proposed rule may be addressed to the following telephone number: (317) 232-0158. Statutory authority: [IC 8-1-1-3](#); [IC 8-1-36](#).

For purposes of [IC 4-22-2-28.1](#), the Small Business Regulatory Coordinator for this rule is:

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For purposes of [IC 4-22-2-28.1](#), the Small Business Ombudsman designated by [IC 5-28-17-5](#) is:

Ryan Asberry  
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Resources available to regulated entities through the small business ombudsman include the ombudsman's duties stated in [IC 5-28-17-5](#), specifically [IC 5-28-17-5\(9\)](#), investigating and attempting to resolve any matter regarding compliance by a small business with a law, rule, or policy administered by a state agency, either as a party to a proceeding or as a mediator.

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